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FOR:	OLIGONUCLEOTIDE FOR GENOTYPING MYCOPLASMA AND ITS RELATED STRAINS, MICROARRAY COMPRISING THE OLIGONUCLEOTIDE, AND METHOD FOR DETECTING STRAINS USING THE MICROARRAY			

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Restriction/Election of Species Requirement for the above-identified patent application mailed January 18, 2008, please find submitted herewith the following:

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